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BROAD STREET—TWO ENTRANCES—SIXTH STREET.

Point Gaze All-50 c Point Gaze Fine Yorth Overs. 75c to \$1.25 is a Fair Estimate of Their Worth

In view of the fact that 1905 will be one of the greates lace seasons for years, this special offer of Point Gaze All-Overs is a notable one.

We accepted an offer of 21 pieces this week in White and Butter at on average of one-half their value.

The patterns are especially handsome.

Your choice to-day 50c yard.

CAMBRIC FLOUNCINGS, 10°

Worth Regularly up to 50c Yard.

Another special lot purchased at the same time we secured the All-Overs.

The flouncings are all Corset Cover Embroideries, being 12 to 22 inches wide. Fifty pieces in this lot.

May Manton Patterns, 10c, each, on safe in our Trimming Department.

VIRGINIA MASONS COMPLETE LABORS

One Hundred and Twentyseventh Session of Grand Lodge Closed.

CRAFTSMEN GO HOMEWARD

The Meeting Was Harmonious, Peaceful, and in Every Way Profitable.

The one hundred and twenty-seventh annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons In Virginia, was closed in ample form at the Masonic Temple, on Broad Street, at 4:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and the many visiting Masons who have been in the city for several days, left for their homes by the outgoing trains last night,

Promptly at 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Right Worshipful Grand Master called the craft to labor and in one hour and ferty-five minutes the business of the Grand Lodge was completed.

The entire session was taken up with routine business, most of which was of outline pusiness, most of which was of a secret character. The final reports of the standing committees referred in the main to the secret work and laws and regulations of the order. Perhaps, the re-port that was the most interesting to the port that was the most interesting to the craft, was that of the Committee on Jurisprudence. This committee may be termed the Supreme Court of Appeals of the order. To it are referred all of the decisions of the grand master during vacation and all other questions of law that may come up in the grand jurisdiction for the committee vesterday recom-

may come up in the grand jurisdiction for a year. This committee yesterday recommended the appropal of nearly all of the grand master's late decisions, taking issue with him in only two cases. The lodge adopted the committee's report.

Various reports were submitted and rapidly adopted with but little discussion and finally came the report of the Committee on Secret Work, which was brief and showed that the craftsmen throughout the State are showing more than the dual anxiety to be perfected in the secret science of Masoury.

Case Handsome Present.

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While the lodge waited for the report of one of the delayed committees, Dr. J. W. Eggleston, of Richmond, took the floor and in a neat little speech on behalf of the "old timers," the men who have been attending Grand Lodge for many years, presented to Henry L. Turner, of Norfolk, one of the most regular of the "old timers," a handsome set of sonic emblems. Mr. Turner accepted the token and feelingly replied to the pre-sentation speech silver spoons properly engraved with Ma sonic emblems. Mr. Turner accepted the

token and feelingly replied to the pre-sentation speech.

The following district lecturers were ap-pointed by the grand master:
First District, Parke Jones.
Second District, J. M. Clift.
Third District, S. W. Whitaker,
Fourth District, J. C. Bruner.
Fifth District, W. T. Rhea (also State

Sixth District, C. G. Davis.

Sixth District, C. G. Davis.
District Deputy Grand Masters were appointed for the fifty districts in the State,
Grand Master Davis then spoke briefly
to the lodge, congratulating the craftsmen on their good work at this session
and on the peace, harmony and good will
that prevails throughout the entire State,
The lodge was then closed to meet again
the second Tuesday in February, 1996.

GOVERNOR'S FRIENDS.

Have Not Overlooked Him During the Hub-Bub of the Week.

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While the various other candidates for public office in Virginia have been conferring with their leaders at the hotels and clubs of the dry during the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons this week the Governor's friends have not overlooked him, but have called in steady streams each day to cheer tim and to tell him of the situation in their respective sections concerning the race for the United States Senate.

casefully at night, different than he had concerning the race for the United States Senate.

His Excellency has observed his usual custom, not to frequent the hotel lobbes, but has remained in his office cach day. His friends have brought him the most gratifying news, and have greatly endered him regarding the situation out in the State. Mr. Preston Belvin, whose his liness takes him all over the State, was in the Exceutive effice yesterday and he expressed the heber than the Governor is much stronger before the people than he was four years ago.

DESERTED THE CHILD.

Two-Months-Old Boy Left With a Colored Woman.

A colored woman living at No. [El] East Marshall Street reported to the police of the Pirst District yesterday morning than a nice-looking will the form from a nice-looking will be a form of the child. The woman went away, but did not return for the child. The woman went away, but did not return for the cana, and they condition of the police of the policy of

gentleman now has a bright little boy for adoption by some good family.

The woman who left the child with the colored woman is described as of stocky build, dark complexion and fairly well dressed. The child was comfortably clothed and is apparently in good health. The police will endeavor to jocate the heartless parent of the child, and Superintendent Davis will care for the ydungsier until a hetter home can be found.

Sent Down for Two Years. In the Hustings Court yesterday Alex. Coleman was given two years in the pen-tionilary for felonious assault. Frank Clark and Journey Brown got five years each for house-breaking.

Other Delegates Named.

Mayor McCarthy yesterday named Doctors St. George T. Grinnan and H. Stewart MacLean additional delegates to the tuberculosis convention, which meets in Atlanta on April 17-19. The other delegates named by his Honor have already been announced.

Manchester, Ball Club.

An important meeting of the ball players of the Manchester team of the Twin-City Loague will be held at the Manhat-tan Club or Saturday night at 9 o'clock. The captain will be chosen and arrange-ments will be perfected for practice games.

Mr. Pemberton's Success. Mr. T. H. Pemberton, one of the best known traveling men of this city, has accepted a position with the large concern, the London Wine and Spirit Company, with American headquarters at No. 14 Witter Street, New York. Mr. Pemberton will cover the southern and western territory, going as far south as Texas, and as far west as Denver.

COLORED ALMSHOUSE IS A DANGER TRAP

Chairman Gunst, of Poor Committee, Sounds Note of Warning.

Chairman Marx Gunst, of the Committee on Relief of the Poor, last night gave out the following interview on the subject of the proposed improvements at the Almshouse:

"It is a market there is an absolute necessity for a new building for the Colored Almshouse. The present one is not offer a new building for the Colored Almshouse. The present one is not offer a new building for the Colored Almshouse, the present one is not offer a new building for the Colored Almshouse. The present one is not offer a new building for the Colored Almshouse, that is in such a Chaple date of the poor of the property of the building, but from a purely business standpoint. Should they do so, and the colored Almshouse of the proven, by building this values, that there will be an annual swinger about \$500 for repairs. In addition to this we can save by reduction of offices, fuel, light and various other incidentals, at least \$3,500 to \$4,000 per annual the Committee on Relief of the Poor

num.
"The Committee on Relief of the Pool have been wanting this annex for mortian eight years, but have patiently writed and withheld their request, wishing to be conservative, knowing that the city did not have the money; out now there is neutrinously to committe this

work. The addition to this, the city will get back from the sale of the present site not less than \$29,000. The Committee on Xchief of the Poor hope 4—the Pinance Committee will provide the necessary money. Should they not do so, the committee will certainly be on record as cautioning the Council as to the danger of the present house, and should any accident occur, will at least be relieved of that responsibility."

READS THE BOOK

'The Road to Wellville' Pointed the Way Down at Hot Springs, Ark., the visitors nave all sorts of complaints, but it is a subject of remark that the great majority of them have some trouble with stomnch and bowels. This may be partly attributed to the heavy medicines, Naturally, under the conditions, the

juestion of food is very prominent. A young man states that he had suffered for nine years from stomach and bow-

el trouble, had two operations which did ot cure, and was at last threatened with por cure, and was at last threatened with appendicitis.

He went to Hot Springs for rheumatism, and his stomach trouble got worse. One day at breakfast the waiter, knowing his condition, suggested he try Grape-Nuts and cream, which he did, and found the food agreed with him perfectly.

After the second day he began to slown.

After the second day he began to sleep seacefully at night, different than he had or years. The perfect digestion of the ood quieted his nervous system and

NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

The Death and Funeral of Mrs. Annie B. Osborne.

CUTTING AFFRAY ON GOATHILL

Republicans Are Getting Active-Florida Weather.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1112 Hull Street. Mrs. Annie B. Osborne dled at the resi once at her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Chalkley. No. 1808 Stockton Street, yesterday ifternoon, aged forty-five years. Mrs Osborne was stricken with paralysis Tuesday afternoon and nover recovered She was the widow of Edward Osborne, and leaves nine children, four sons and five daughters. She was a daughter of George G. Cox. The funeral will be from Asbury Methodist Church this afternoon at 4 o'clock, and the burial will

be in Maury Cemetery.

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Cutting Affray.

Lizzie Clarke and Arbur Jackson, colored, went to a hop at the hall at Fifteenth and Hull Streets, on Monday night, and got into an argument on the weather. Later, the social atmosphere of Goat Hill rang with lusty yells from the throat of Arthur. Investigation showed that he had been painfully cut on the face, and his yells were well founded. Liz said she didn't go to cut, but that she had the knife in her hand and Arthur ran against it. The case will be heard by the mayor this morning.

Among the Sick. Among the Sick.

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A daughter of Mr. Samuel Wright, of No. 407 Bainbrige Street, is quite ill at her home with phatumonia. She was reported as no better last night,

Mrs. W. E. Perkinson was reported as better last night.

Frank Baldy, son of Rev. Dr. Baldy, is ill at the home of his father.

· Political Pot.

Republicans of Manchester are arising to the exigencies of the occasion, which occasion is the forthcoming gubernatoria ampaign. Chairman "Shorty" Smith, of campaign. Chairman "Shorty" Smith, of the City Committee, says there will be a remarkable vote polled in this city, and that the Republicans will present a big showing of strength. He says there is no doubt that Judge Lewis will be nominated in opposition to the Democratic nominee. He also believes that many Democrats will remain from the polls in both the primary and general elections. both the primary and general elections, thereby aiding the opposition that much. Republicans are arranging for the organization of a campaign club, in order to corral their strength for the coming fight.

fight.

The Democrats are resting on their cars, ready to go into the fray at the drop of the flag. The three candidates each have their friends, and it is a standoff on the surface as to which is the favorite in the race.

Visiting Florida.

A letter has been received from Mr. A. L. Adamson, who is now in Florida on a trip. The writer says the flowers are in bloom, and that the weather reminds him of a spring day in Manches-

The weather here, according to the The weather here, according to the oldest inhabitant, is unprecedented in its severity. Never in his career of nearly a century has Captain Lipscomb known of such a severe winter. "There is more suffering from the cold this winter," said he, "than ever before, and I hope the charitably inclined will not hesitate in helping the needy poor."

Personals and Briefs.

The Street Committee met in regular ession last night and transacted routine

business.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith took place from the home at 3 o'clock yesterday af-

Hestia Conclave, Heptasophs, met last night at their hall, Eighth and Hull Streets.

AT THE THEATRES.

'Glittering Gloria" Presented at

Academy Twice To-morrow. Academy Twice To-morrow.

The attraction at the Academy to-morrow, matinee and night, will be Join C. Fisher and Tom W. Ryloy's latest London importation, "Gittering Gioria." The piece was one of the best English comedies presented in London in Years, and its production at Daly's Theatre, New York, last spring was a duplication of the impression it made on theatre-goers in the English metropolis. Hugh Morton is responsible for the play. His style is familiar to the theatre patrons of this country, where his "Belle of Now York" made him a reputation for comedy successes. The story of the play suggests countless opportunities for amusing situations. The volves around the purchase of a twenty-five thousand dollar diamond necklace in a Bond Street lewelry shop, which act, in connection with a buil dog which has an antipathy for red neckties, manages to involve some twenty people in a series of complicated situations which create no end of laughter.

Close Finish of the Race.

The racing scene in "The Missourians," now playing to good business at the Bijou, is a good bit of stage work. The sulky wheels can be seen revolving, the horses are going at a rapid gait, and all the excitement to a "hot finish" lakes possession of the audience. The play was presented twice yesterday, and will run the week.

Classic Productions.

Daniel Ryan, who comes to the Blou next week, mide a great lift in Boston, Mass., where he remained for several weeks. Newspapers of that city spoke in flattering terms of the star, the com-pany and the plays. The Boston Record said:

flattering the plays. The Boston Acceptance pany and the plays. The Boston Acceptance with the staging of Mr. Ryan's plays leave nothing to be desired, and in the selection of his company all popular-priced attractions are asily surpassed. He even goes so far as to rival the most pretentious productions at a very unpretentious charge."



OFFICER H. AMOS JUST HAD TO LAUGH

Caught Jones in the Act of Promoting Policy-Other Police Court Cases.

"I just had to laugh," said Officer Amos, as he leaned up against the rall of the court of Justice John yesterday morning. "Whyfore the smile?" asked the Wise Guy, as he brushed the snow off his whis-

"Well, you see, when I butted in on Jones it took him so by surprise that he overlooked a few 4-11-4's, and somebody dropped a dream book on the floor so loud that it awoke a fellow who was dreaming about snakes, and there was a general stampede for the doors and windows. Then Jones threw up the sponge, 'fessed up, and here he is.'
"Hence the ha, ha, ha!" remarked the Wise Guy. Whereupon Jones was charged \$20 and costs and given one day in fall.
Foliceman Amos, slingle-handed, had raided tha shop at No. 802 East Cary Street, Wednesday night. He went into the place and found a lot of fellows trying to strike the ducky numbers. It was an unlucky day for Jones.
The charge of theft against T, T, Minter was dismissed, because the charge, being the yG. L. Haynos, was not sustained.
Bettie Conway and Parthenia Thomas.

ained.
Bettic Conway and Parthenia Thomas, two members of the Scale House social set, were faced with the embarrassing churge of being drunk and disorderly on the streets, to the discomfort of others in the same set. They were charged \$2.50 cach and costs, and were sent to the Smith Inn for an outing of ten days each.

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Wilbur Goddin once more drew up in front of the Wise Gluy's throne. He had the same jag on, and being unable to give a good excuse, he went off for a stay of six months with Mr. Smith.
There were several other cases of drunk, but as their names have not heretofore been in the blue book, it is not thought worth while to mention them in this record of current events.

RUNAWAY LOCATED.

Boy Who Left Home in New York Now in Richmond Jail.

Clifford Weitz, a youngster, aged about sixteen, ran away from his home in New York on January 17th, and came to try his fortune in the Sunny South, where the snow falls every few minutes in the week, and the mercury hovers around zero most of the time. He landed in this city on January 20th, when the wind blew from every direction that was cold. The lad could find nothing doing, and was taken -up by the police as a suspicious charaçter. When he appeared in the Police Gqurt, he gave the mame of Harold Dancey, and he was sent down for three months to await developments.

Chief Hulce on yesterday received a letter from the boy's mother, Mrs. Augustus M. Weitz, No. 1302 Second Avenut, New York, asking him to make induiries concerning her boy. She stated that she was very much distressed at the disappearance of her son, as he had always been a good boy, and had no reason for leaving home. Detective Hall went on the cuse, and located the boy in Jail under another name. His mother was communicated with, and the lad will be held for information from her. York Now in Richmond Jail.

Mr. Williamson Dead.

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A private telegram received in this city yesterday announced the death Wednesday night at his home in New Market, of Mr. G. M. Williamson, one of the best known men in Shenandadi county. He was about fifty-seven years old and is survived by his wife, daughter and three sons. Mr. Williamson will formerly shelff of the county and was a director of the Valley Turphke and a man of varied busiless interests. He was one of the most prosperous men in the county.

Services at the Synagogue.

Rev. Dr. Edward N. Callsch will take for the subject of his sermon this eventing "The Second Commandment." He will discuss in this connection "Banner Bearers of Monothelsm."
Dr. Callsch will leave to-morrow evening for Savannah, Macon and Atlanta, in all of which places he will speak in the interest of Brind Britis.

Bendit Weigher of Mails. United States Marshal Samuel Bendit, re-cently recappolited temporarily, resigned that position Wednesday night, and yesterday en-tered upon his duttes as weighter of mulis in the railway service of the postofile. He made his first trip yesterday, returning to this city in the afternoon. The appointment was made through the local postmaster.

General Bolling Here. General Stith Bolling, of Petersburg, post-muser of that city, was in Richmond yester-day and was a visitor at the custom house. The general is limping and walking with a cane as a result of slipping on the ice and twisting his gaids. Otherwise he is as active and cheerful as usual.

James River Frozen Tight. The James River is still frozen from bank to bank, save where the swift current breaks through the rapids, The view from the Freshridge presents a yast field of ice and rocks, even the water which flows over the low days over th

Bookstacks Repainted. State Librarian Konnedy has just had the from bookness in the much library repainted, the new color being white. When the work is rully completed, it will greatly brighten the interior of the library.

VETERAN ACTOR IS REMINISCENT

Mr. Hamilton Talks of Jefferson, Forrest, Booth and Elder Sothern.

GREATEST OF ACTRESSES

Charlotte Cushman, in His Opinion, Led All the Rest.

Mr. Theodore Hamilton, veteran actor and Confederate soldier, received a reporter of The Times-Dispatch in his dressing room on yesterday and talked delightfully of the days "before the war," when the playhouses of Richmond were of the first rank and when such men as Jeffer son and Forrest played here for weeks at a time.

"I began my career as an actor at the old 'Bowery' Theatro in August, 1855. We played Richard Ild. "There were no matinees in those days. The matines was not known in the South

Sonecicault begun the matinee in Bos-"I saw the old Marshall Theatre burn "I saw the old Miraman Indexe in Richmond on January 1, 1862. In the entry there used to hang a very fine portrait of Charles Burke, half-brother of Jefferson. I think the portrait

until after the war, but as early as 1857.

fine portrait of Charles Burke, half-brother of Jefferson. I think the portrait was by Sully.

"Charles Burke was always iii. He never knew what it was to be well, but he possessed the sweetest nature I ever knew, and was always cheerful. I think he was the best comedian I ever saw play.

"After the old Marshall Theatre burned down, the Richmond Theatre, on the corner of Sevonth and Broad, was built, being completed in 1862. The first play presented there was "As You Like It." Years afterwards I came here and played the Chost to Mr. Creston Clark's Hamlet. Mr. Clark, the grandson of John Steeper Clark, came to Richmond for the sentimental purpose of opening his stage careor in the old Richmond Theatre.

"During part of the war I played in the old Richmond Theatre, next to the Exchange and Ballard Hotels. For four weeks we played 'Metamoro,' Forest's great play, every night, and the swange part was that there were no ladies in the audlence on going out, would find itself surrounded by a cordon of soldiers who examined each man to ascertain if he were a deserter or was present without a pass. When a deserter was found, away he went to Castle Lightning or Castle Thunder. We played in Trinity, which had been a church, for eighteen months, giving nearly all the legitimate plays."

Bears His Age Bravely.

"You are a wonderfully young looking man, Mr. Hamilton," said the reporter, "and you look as though you had never been ill in your life." In Jofferson," said

been ill in your life."
"I try to live like Joe Jefferson," said Mr. Hamilton. "I remember once we were playing in Boston. Joe was elimbing up a steep hill and a gauze drop gave the effect of distance. The drop had not been oiled and the creaking was something awful to hear. When the curtain fell I said to Joe: 'Are you not very angry?' I never get angry,' he replied; 'It makes wrinkles in your face, and that would never do.'"
"What do you think of the new school

makes wrinkles in your face, and that would never do."

"What do you think of the new school of acting?" asked the reporter.

"The new ones, men I mean, are all right in drawing room plays, but they are not like the old school actors, who could play anything. There never was and never will be an actor like Forest. Off the stage he was a brute and his friends finally turned away from him.

"I played for two yeers with him. With Booth I played the king 125 times to his Hamlet and MacDuff 66 times.

"With the Elder Sothern I played in 'Our Boys' and 'American Cousin,' I played a whole season with Joe Jefferson, and a season with the great Mrs, Drow in The Rivals,' She Would and She Wouldn't,' and 'Paul Pry.'"

Greatest of Actresses.

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"Charlotte Cushman was the greatest actress I ever saw play. She was won-derful. Do you ever recall the simple stage settings of earlier days?" asked

"That question," said Mr. Hamilton,
"recalls to my mind one of the most remarkable performances that ever took
place. I was with Joe Jefferson and we
went to Petersburg to play Paul Pry." went to Petersburg to play Fall Pry.

"We played in Bollingbrook Hall, a room over a feed store. The stage was bare of all settling, except a deal table and two wooden chairs, but Jefferson and the whole company never acted better. It was great. Jefferson entered into the play with all his heart and simply made it go.

it go.
"We all called Joe Jefferson 'Governor

"We all called Joe Jofferson 'Governor' in those days, and his old friends still call him by that title.

"Actors in the old days were modest and retiring, but now every young man who comes into the profession brugs about who he is. Every one of them is the grandson of a King or a President, according to his story, and they think more about talking big than about studying their profession."

"Have you seen General Hunton, your old commander?" asked The Times-Distante man.

patch man.

"The general paid me a delightful visit this morning," replied the old Confederate. "He is as hale and hearty as a young man, and I was delighted to see him. We chatted for an hour about the good old days of the past, and I hope I shall have the pleasure of seeing him for many years to come."

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Mr. Hamilton will visit Mr. Valentine's studie this morning, and in the afternoon will visit the grave of his brother, who is buried in Shockee Cemetery.

"It has been very delightful to me to be here amongst my old comrades in arms and amid the scenes I recall so well. I hope to come back often."

WANT A CHARTER.

to Build Nest of Their Own.

Dixie Aerie, No. 328, Fraternal Order of Eagles, will soon apply to the State Corporation Commission for a charter, in corporating The Home of Dixie Aerie, which means that this organization in Riefmond will soon purchase or build a home of its own. The capital stock of the proposed joint stock company has not yet been formally agreed upon, but it will be the stock of the proposed joint stock company has not yet been formally agreed upon, but it will be be left in the hands of the trustees. Messrs, G. C. Guyernator, J. H. Campbell and D. Rosendorff.

Dixie Aerie, will not be two years old until March 223, and will then appropriately celebrate the anniversary. The serie has about 350 members and is in a prospectous condition. The worthy president, Robert II. Taller, and secretary, Gus Bernler, The aerie now meets semi-monthly at the assembly hall of Murphy's Hotel.

annex. It numbers among its members many well known citizens.

CALL FOR TICKETS.

Mrs. Montague to Distribute Those for McClure Lecture.

Mrs. A. J. Montague requests that the numbers of the Board of Lady Managers of the Home for Needy Confederate Wo-men will call at the Governor's mansion at 11 o'clock A. M., to-morrow to receive the tickets for the McClure lecture, to take place at the Academy of Music on March 14th.

March 14th.

There is considerable interest being manifested in the lecture, 4nd it promises to be a fine success, as Colonel McClure is one of the most brilliant platform lecturers in the country. He will give the proceeds to the Home for Needy Confederate Women, and has been widely commended for this proposed act of generosity.

JUDGE MANN WILL SOON ISSUE BUTTONS

Nottoway Candidate Pays Flying Visit to Richmond. Clergyman's Views. Judge William Hodges Mann, of Not-

towny, one of the aspirants for the Democratic nomination for the governorship, was in Richmond for a few hours yesterday, having run over from Peters ourg, where he now spends much of his time. The Judge was greeted by a number of his friends in the State Library building. To one of these, who had a Swanson button on one lapel and a Wil-lard button on the other, and who as ed for a Mann button, the Nottoway senator stated that his buttons would soon be

with him have no doubt that he is in the field to stay, and reports reach that his friends are quietly working for him in all sections of the State.

A well known clergyman, who was a member of the Constitutional Convention, and who takes a lively interest in public affairs, stated yesterday that in a contest between Judge Mann and either of the other two candidates now in the field, he did not think Judge Mann would win, but with three candidates in the field he thought the Nottoway senator stood an excellent chance of winning. The speaker did not indicate whether he was favorable to the candidatey of Judge Mann or able to the candidacy of Judge Mann or

not.

An impression appears to be spreading that it is yet too early to accurately gauge the relative strength of the guber-natorial spirants, and that the quiet vote in various sections of the State probably embraced many Mann supporters.

Whether Judge Mann proposes to issue another formal statement in the nature of a platform or not no one appears to be

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wife Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for sig-nature of E. W. Grove. 250.—adv.

a platform or not no one appears to be able to say. He is said to be quietly looking after the organization of his

HOW TO VOTE IN COMING CONTEST

All Must Pay Poll Taxes Six Months Prior to Election

REGISTRATION

Conditions Under Which Voter's Name Is Recorded-No Six Months' Limit.

The following are the conditions o junification for voting in the Democratic rimary election in August or Septem

For persons already registered; All perons registered since the new Constitu tion came into effect may vote provided he shall have personally paid at least six months prior to the election on No vember 7th all State poll taxes assessed or assessable against him under this Constitution for the years 1903 and 1904; and provided further that unless physically lisabled he shall prepare and deposit his ballot without ald; Any voter registered prior to January 1, 1994, may be aided in preparing his ballot by any officer of election he may designate.

Persons now registered and who vote pay poll tax for 1904 before May 7, 1905, in order to qualify himself to vote in the

Conditions of Registration.

Persons not now registered and pos-essing the qualifications of age and residence prescribed by the Constitution shall as a prerequisite to registration personally pay all State poll taxes assessed or assessable against him under this or the old Constitution for the three years next preceding that in which he offers to vote: That is to say, for the years 1902, 1903 and 1904. If a man has become of age since the last assessment of taxes, he may qualify himself to register by the payment of \$1.50 in lieu of the first year's poll tax assessable against him; and provided further that unless physically disabled, he shall make application for registration in his own handwriting, without aid, suggestion or memorandum, giving the information required as to age lence prescribed by the Constitution shall

without aid, suggestion or memorandum, giving the information required as to age and residence.

It will be observed that the last paragraph relates to registration merely. It is not necessary to have paid the politax six months prior to election in order to register, but being registered will not entitle a man to vote unless he shall have paid his politax six months before the November election.

Participation in the Democratic primary

Fore the November election.

Participation in the Democratic primary is limited to white Democrats who are will be qualified voters November 7th. In order to vote in this State one must have resided herein two years, in the city or county one year and in the precinct thirty days.

A NNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1804, OF THE CONDITION OF THE AMELICAN CREDITINDEMNITY COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF VIRGINIA.

President—S. M. PHELAN.
Secretar—E. M. THEAT.
Incorpogned—APRIL 28, 1803.
Commerced Business—MAY 1, 1803.
Principal Office—302 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

CAPITAL. \$1,000,000 00 \$2,105,815 37 r 31st of previous year. INCOME.

Total..... Deduct gross premiums in course of collection at this date......

DISBURSEMENTS.

Net paid policyholders.

To stockholders for interest or dividends, 5 per cent.

Solaries, travoling and all expenses of agents and agencies not on commission account; travoling expenses.

Salaries and all other compensation of officers, \$38,800, and Home Office employes, \$05,082.94.

Taxes on premiums, \$21,885,10; insurance department fees, \$7,588,61; Municipal licenses, \$680,27; Agents licenses, \$383,50. Legal expenses.
Advertising, \$17,034.39, and general printing and stationery, \$5,237.41...
Interest and discount.
AB other items.

Balance..... \$2,104,830 G9

Total...,.... \$2,185,273 08 NON-LEDGER ASSETS.

Premiums in course of collection on policies and renewals subsequent to October 1, 1904.

Accounts owned, purchased on payment of losses, value based on past experience. 98,000 50 52,047 17

120,440 50 LIABILITIES, Known Resisted by Company on adjustment, profess and filed, \$42,450,70 \$127,290 to \$5,500,60

Special Agent,

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RICHMOND, VA.

State of Missouri, city of St. Louis-est. Subscribed and sworn to February 4, 1905, before CHAMP C. CONNER, Notary Public. G. L. FAIRBANK,

Eagles, of Dixie Aerie, Expect to Build Nest of Their Own.

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